

# **Indiana Libraries Mobile Units history collection S474**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Rare Books and Manuscripts
<b>Title</b>	Indiana Libraries Mobile Units history collection
<b>Date</b>	1954
<b>Extent</b>	0.03 Cubic feet 1 folder
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Mixed materials [Folder]</b>	S474

### Preferred Citation

Indiana Libraries Mobile Units history collection, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library

## Historical Note

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The Gas City, Indiana Mill Township Public Library started bookmobile service February 22, 1918. The Fulton County Rochester, Indiana Public Library began bookmobile service in 1921. Statewide statistics appear not to have been gathered prior to 1954. In 1954, 12 libraries owned 15 bookmobiles.

Davis Stephanie, et al. "Bookmobile Service in Indiana: Its history, its present, and its future." Indiana Libraries 20:1 (2001) 1-6. Print.

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## Scope and Contents

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This collection includes journal articles and photographs from Indiana State Library and other institutions in Indiana ranging from 1916 to 1954 regarding bookmobile and county library service in Indiana.

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## Arrangement

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This collection is arranged chronologically.

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## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

### Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

### Conditions Governing Use

Legal title, copyright, and literary rights reside with Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN. All requests to publish or quote from manuscripts must be submitted to Rare Books and Manuscripts.

### **Custodial History**

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

### **Accruals**

No further additions are expected.

### **Processing Information**

Collection processing completed by Brent Abercrombie. EAD finding aid created 2014/12/23 by Edythe Huffman.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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### **Corporate Name(s)**

- Indiana State Library.

### **Subject(s)**

- Bookmobiles--Indiana
- Public libraries